If It's Not in the "WHIP" There's Nothing to It

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PRICE FIVE CENTS

CROW ORDINANCE BLOCKED

Garrity and Alcock Deserve Much Credit

State Troops Do Great Work-Both Work in Harmony-Situation Under Control

thorities, both civil and military, in the were on the scene in person and directed ing to witnesses, threw the stone which masterful way in which they handled the action of their men. the mobs during the five days of rioting, When the general riot call was sent which held the city in its grip.

It made no difference to them whether the face of the law breaker was white or black, they handled him in the way neither maltreated or brow-beat any one, due the disturber.

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At the beginning of the riot Chief end to a disgraceful situation.

PROGRESSIVE REFUSE TO

MEET WILSON-CALLS

Rowell characterized the invitation

by the Democratic leader, Garvin Mc-

Nab, as a "elever ruse" to have the

Democrats lined up with the Progres-

DAMAGE SUITS TO BE

Brought agai**nst city**

Damage suits are under way by

families of deceased victims of the late

riots. According to a state law they

are entitled to \$5,000 damages, if it can

be proven that the deceased were not

implicated in any of the riot fights, as

aggressors. The city of Chicago will be

defendant for at least twelve of these

cases. One or two have already been

started by Attorney A. L. Williams of

the Grievance Committee, for the Cook

County Bar Association.

Special credit must be given the au- | John J. Garrity, and First Deputy Alcock

all criminals should be handled. They and the wounds of others who fought to

streets, Wednesday night, it was for hem assistance. Without sleep, the sole purpose of giving the overworked police some much-needed rest. these sturdy citizen soldiers were called

death they marched singly or in num- higher type of whites, handled the sitthese same military men, who are of the to \$200,00.

> race, stopped the congregating on street in the riot zone. many corners, and made every one move on.

> > military authorities, who put aside all Sadler law racial prejudice (if any existed among them) and in an efficient way put an

Colored Americans Prohibited from Enlisting in Regular

Fresno, Cal., Aug. 5 .- (By Whip News Service.)-Chester H. Rowell, the the Regular Army. The number of releader of California Progressives, re fused to meet President Wilson at the State line when he arrives here. Rowell excess will be removed within the next and waited. is the campaign manager for Senator few months by discharge and furlough Hiram W. Johnson, from this State. to the reserve of those entitled thereto. Johnson is the biggest vote getter in This order, it was explained, has no rethe State of California. It will be relation whatever to recent race riots, but membered that the ignoring of the Prowas made necessary by the legal limitagressive element in the Golden State, tion upon the number of Colored inwas the cause of the defeat of the Refantrymen in the Regular Army. publican party in the last presidential

Halt Syracuse Riots; Serious Trouble Avoided

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 3 .- The Globe: Malleable Iron Works was the scene of a race riot. The riots were started by Poles and Italians, who were ousted, and race men put in their jobs.

were used. Prompt police interference plaints of colored citizens. troling the colored section.

Four white men were locked up and to get some convictions." charged with rioting.

Burglar Takes Bath and Shines Shoes in Barber Shop

Fairmont, W. Va., Aug. 8 .- The most fastidious burglar on record broke into the East Side barber shop here.

Nothing was disturbed and nothing stolen, but the man took a bath, polished his shoes and passed on.

MAN ACCUSED OF STARTING RIO

Placed Under \$50,000 Bond-Takes Jury Trial-Impudent to Judge

George Stauber, white, who accord-

Sergeant Middleton told the who saw the actual throwing of the rock, which knocked Eugene Wil-

The case was continued until Aug.

judge were Negroes, but there were statements being sifted to the bottom many whites. Many of the accused were found to be groundless. Right here we will have to say that on the violators ranging from \$10.00

Since they started patrolling the streets arraigned in the stockyards court charg-

arraigned in the South Clark street court, demanded jury trials. They were ordered held under bonds of \$5,000

ell, Spurgeon Ant ny, and John Wash-George Wilkins. . ell and Anthony. in confessions, fasten the killing or fantry. Under the law only two regi- avenue, Wednesday, to collect some inments of infantry can be recruited for surance. The three saw him enter. Powell went to Parker and asked him who Wilkins was. Parker told him. ments already has been exceeded. The and Anthony walked out to the curb us to weigh our duty.

Washington waited in an area way As Wilkins came out of the house Washington shot him dead, they say.

Lowery Expects Hanging "This is an absolutely cold blooded

and unprovoked murder." said Assistant State's Attorney John M. Lowery. who obtained the confession. "I have no doubt that Washington will be hanged for it."

White Men in Net

Reports involving at least three white men in cases of murder and assault to murder were in the state's attorney's hands. These will be more thoroughly investigated during the day and arrests are expected by tonight. Edward Wilson, colored assistant state's attorney. Both sides used clubs, stones and any obtained the information in these cases. other weapon that they could get. Re- He is especially detailed by State's Atvolvers were displayed, but very few torney Hoyne to investigate the com-

"The reports in these cases are pretty prevented much shooting. Police are pa- elear," said Assistant State's Attorney Irwin Walker. "We expect to be able

Another Colored Man Lynched in Texas

element, who do not hesitate to congre- prejudice always imposes. wate in hundreds and take one little colored man out and lynch him, Chilton Jennings was taken from jail here and of the Negro people, the whites have Mrs. G. M. Mathes, Father Joseph Mc-

Gen. Dickerson Says Negroes Did Not Start Stock Yards Fire

the city was called out Saturday, Aug. were partially or completely damaged on the stage to do their turn. The

According to Adjt. Gen. Dickson, I. W. W. plotters blacked their faces and

claim they saw Negroes apply the torch | Ledman said "The old corner looked which started the conflagration. These

Could Not Enter District.

ACTORS CHASED OFF STAGE BY MOB

The entire fire fighting apparatus of Glad to Reach 35th and State Ledman and McCree, not knowing

The police commandeered a machine and brought them safely to Thirty-fifth and State Streets.

Golden Rule to Be Applied in **Treatment of Colored Americans**

Other Groups Came to America to Better Their Conditions. We Brought the Negro Here to Better Ours," Says Leading White Chicago Clergyman

cruits required for two infantry regi- Powell said, "Let's kill him," and he shock us, but at the same time move out mercy and without cause.

the Negro here to better our condition. We cannot ignore our debt of grati- to as the Golden Rule.

tude for the part they played in the world war, as indispensable laborers, as In the past we, in Chicago, made it necessary for them to live near the haunts of vice which we established. We have permitted gambling to flourish Christians and of Americans. in their midst and we imposed upon fields of labor to them, causing the neediest to seek work among the demoralizing influences with which we sur-

able to effect a readjustment. our own sowing. The Negro hoodlums ing our city. whom we created under the conditions THE CHICAGO CHURCH FEDERA-Gilmer, Tex., Aug. 8 .- In continu- named joined our white hoodlums, and ance of the disregard of law and justice they together planted the seeds of riot and the gross cowardice of the cracker in the fertile soil of injustice which

> While the recent riots have witnessed above statement: Robert McMurdy, the most sickening brutality on the part | Mary McDowell, S. P. Breckenridge, failing eyesight, he is physically fit. instances the stronger race has failen Mead.

Recent events in Chicago alarm and | upon the weaker with ferocity and with-There is no higher or clearer state

ment of our duty toward our dark broth Other people have come to our shores ers than the rule laid down in a very to better their condition; we brought ancient decision which has never been overruled-one which we usually refer

Let us resolve, in view of the condi tions obtaining within the last few days, to recognize our Negro neighbors as courageous soldiers and as supporters Americans who have always been loyal in full of every aid undertaken at home. to America in the face of bad treatment; let us recognize them as fellow eitizens Number of police at times entitled to share fully and equally the boasted opportunity of America; let us do this in a friendly spirit worthy of

In an emergency, such as the present to bear emphatic testimony to the need of calmness, sanity and sympathy with all of both races who are oppressed by the iniquities of the present social order.

The message of Christianity, as al- Whip.) Albert Sidney rounded them. Notwithstanding this, ways in the past, is one of brotherhood our Negro citizens were law-abiding and and aspiration for good will and co-opgave us no trouble until for commercial eration, which are the bases of the purposes others were brought from the peace and welfare of every community. South in such great numbers that hous- The efforts of all the people of all the ing and other living conditions were in- churches are needed at this time to re- He informed the authorities of the hosadequate, and as yet we have been un- store order and confidence and to make pital, that if the city would take care impossible the recurrence of the vio- of him, the \$8.00 would pay for his to-We are now gathering the fruit of lence and lawlessness which are disgrae- bacco for the rest of his life,

> TION. Herbert L. Willett, President.

Walter R. Mee, Secretary. Committee of citizens indorsing the

Ald. Anderson Rebukes Moran. Who Introduced Jim Crow Measure in Council

tempt to segregate his people appeared

Anderson Gets Floor

Alderman Moran, from the 31st ward, the guest of the city council, he made a

undertaken a task more difficult than

this city. an agreeable surprise B Be ance, but all factions and races com prising this district are complimenting

City Will Lose Over Million Dollars on Account of Riot

Rioting lasted, days Number of deaths (20 Negroes, 13 whites) Injured (177 Negroes, 129

Fires (riot zone)..... Fires (back of the yards, buildings burned) City's estimated loss (because of responsibility

under law)......\$1,000,000 Number of troops on duty Number of deputy sheriffs

Ex-slave Willing to Pay for Tobacco If City · Care of Him

and personal bodyguard of Gen. Albert Sydney Johnson, in the civil war, walked into the city hospital and said that he was too old to work and had only \$8.00 to take care of himself with.

When Johnson was asked how old he was, he replied that he was 38 when though for his general weakness and sett and Grand avenue.

He came to St. Louis about fifty years hanged in the court yard by a mob of been no less cruel; in a great number of Namee, Graham Taylor and George H. ago and worked around wealthy

COLORED WOMAN CARRIES 'SNOW'' IN UMBRELLA

Pittsburgh Woman Arrested for Carrying on Illicit Drug

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 8 .- It did not tive Frank Farris and James Noon The following statistics will show the watching the cosmopolitan populace of damage done to Chicago by the recent the Hill flow by Wylie Avenue and Fulton streets, observed a colored woman with an umbrella, join the throng. "Hah," remarked Noon, "starting

out on the route." They trailed her to the North sid

51 where they stopped her and invited be to the North side police station. the station the matron searched h carefully, but found not even a suggestion of what the detectives were loo ing for. Farris had not thought mu of the project from the first, and now he began to scoff at Noon.

Whereupon Noon reached for the um brella. He raised it and pushed it open. Five little packages fell to the floor. "Cocaine." he exclaimed.

The woman registered as Babe Smith, f Itasco Street, Northside.

"Whenever I see 'Babe' out with her umbrella on a clear day I know the sleigh bells are going to jingle," Noon

Policemen Accused of Being Afraid of "Hoodlums"

Charges were filed yesterday with the police trial board against Policeman John McNamara, McNamara, according to the charges, refused to go to Buchanan campaigned for president, the assistance of Ezreal Keller, 1010 Buchanan was elected President in 1856. North Oakley, and friends of the latter, This would make Johnson about 100 when they were attacked July 13 by a years old. He appears to be about 100, band of alleged hoodlums at Narraman-

> Mrs. Blanche Letts, of New York, is visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Newson, of W. 30th Street,